

SOCIAL LIFE IN AND ABOUT PHILADELPHIA

A WEDDING of importance will take place quietly next Thursday in Lancaster, when Miss Caroline Beaten Franklin, daughter of Henry B. Franklin, of Lancaster, will be married to Stanley MacDonald Smith, son of Mrs. L. Heber Smith, of 208 Walnut street, this city. The ceremony will be performed at noon in St. James' Episcopal Church, Lancaster, by the rector of the church. Mr. Smith will have his brother, William Howard Smith, as best man, and his ushers will be Henry Pepper Norris, of this city, and Franklin Haneman, of Lancaster. After a wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Smith will live in Lancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Coale, of Torrensale, will entertain at dinner on Monday night at their home in honor of Miss Mae Patterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. Patterson, and Miss Martha Whitmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Forster Whitmer, who will make her debut at a tea to be given on December 16. Miss Patterson, who is also a debutante of the season, will have no formal presentation. There will be informal dancing after the dinner at Mr. and Mrs. Coale's on Monday night.

E. Rittenhouse Miller will entertain at dinner tonight before the dance which will be given at the Philadelphia Cricket Club. His guests will include Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Wister, Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Churchill Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Earle White, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Schwartz, Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Schwartz, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Gates, Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Barker Melor, Mrs. Hodgkin, Mrs. William Bindley Brown and Dr. F. W. Thomas.

At the annual banquet and meeting of the Savoy Opera Company, held on Thursday evening at the Orpheus Club rooms, the following officers were elected for the coming year: Vice president, Walter C. Neely, treasurer; Miss Mildred S. Shattuck, secretary; Miss Helen Gillette, Ashby Wallace and George Dallas Borda, managers.

Mrs. A. R. MacLeod has opened her home in St. Davids, where she and her children will spend the winter season.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Freeman, of Cornwall, Lebanon, will entertain a large house party over the week-end. The guests will be Miss Jean Penn-Gaskell Hancock, Miss Charlotte M. Bain, Miss Alva Sergeant, Todman M. Water, E. Baldwin Edwards, William N. Edwards and Edwin M. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McKean, of Glencoe House, Rosemont, will entertain in their box at the opera on the opening night, November 24, and later give a supper party for their guests. Mr. and Mrs. McKean will entertain at dinner this evening at their Rosemont residence. Covers will be laid for 20, and the decorations will consist of chrysanthemums. Mrs. William Lee, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. McKean for several days, will return to her home in Baltimore next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Holmes, who have been occupying "In the Woods," the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Blanchard Miles, at St. David's, for the summer months, have returned to their home in this city.

Another week of gaiety for the buds will begin on Monday, when Miss Lucia Alice Warden will be introduced at a tea which will be given by her mother, Mrs. Herbert Warden, at the Acorn Club. Miss Athalia Hirst will also be presented at a tea by her aunt, Mrs. Francis L. Patterson, at the Philadelphia Cricket Club on Monday afternoon, and Dr. and Mrs. George Fales Baker will entertain in the evening in honor of Miss Margaret Handy Burton at a theatre party and supper at the Bellevue-Stratford.

On Tuesday Miss Cornelia Ledy will be the guest of honor at a luncheon which will be given by her aunt, Mrs. C. Fontaine-Mary Ledy, and Miss Jane Harding will be introduced at a tea to be given by her mother, Mrs. George J. Harding, at the Bellevue-Stratford Gardens. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Van Rensselaer will give a dinner dance for Miss Cordelia Biddle at their home in Camp Hill.

There will be two luncheons on Wednesday; one will be given by Mrs. Jones Water for Miss Mary Stuart Wurts and one by Mrs. Nathan A. Taylor, of Etnenhelm, for Miss Marjorie Taylor.

In the afternoon Miss Jean N. Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thompson, of 116 De Lancey street, will be presented at a tea and Miss Dorothea Deacon will be introduced by her parents at the Bellevue-Stratford. In the evening Miss Eleanor Flood, of Germantown, will be honor guest at a dinner-dance which will be given by her parents at the Germantown Cricket Club.

Miss Cordelia Biddle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony J. Drexel Biddle, will be introduced at a tea by her parents Thursday afternoon and Miss Louisa Gibbons Davis will be presented by her parents at a tea at the Philadelphia Cricket Club. In the morning Mrs. Henry Hobart Brown will give a debutante luncheon in honor of Miss Hope McMichael at the Acorn Club, and that evening Miss Margaret Berwind will be entertained at dinner by Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Yanaga Stewart.

On Friday Dr. and Mrs. T. Mellor Tyson will present their daughter, Miss Frances Tyson, at a tea at their home, 106 Spruce street, and Mrs. George Dillwyn Parrish will give a luncheon at her home, 313 South 15th street, in honor of Miss Mary Ballard. In the evening Miss Margaret E. Scull will be introduced at a dinner-dance by her parents at their beautiful country home in Overbrook. Miss Isabel Milne Rodgers will be the only debutante to be presented on Saturday. Her debut will take place at the Theatre Helens, 200 South 21st street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Curtis Harrison, Jr., will give a dinner of 15 covers in the evening at their country home in Villanova.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hayward Myers will give a small dinner-dance tonight at their home in St. David's in honor of their daughters, Miss Marion Twigg Myers and Miss Elizabeth S. Myers.

The present members, together with the Alumnae Association of Miss Hille's School, will give a fair at the school, 1808 Spruce street, Saturday, December 5, from 10 until 12 and from 2 until 5 o'clock. All sorts of fancy articles will be for sale. The proceeds will be given to the Red Cross work.

The committee for the preservation of existing records of the Pennsylvania Society of the Colonial Dames of America have issued invitations for a Record Tea at Stanton Masten, Lehigh, on Thursday, November 12, from 3 until 5 o'clock. The dames are requested to bring all available family records, Bibles and

deeds and the society will have a notary there to certify copies. Owing to a sudden death in the family, Mrs. Thomas L. Latta has postponed indefinitely the luncheon which she had planned for her daughters, Miss Elizabeth and Miss Margaret Latta, on Thursday, November 12.

ALONG THE MAIN LINE

OVERBROOK—Miss Isabel Diesel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison N. Diesel, gave an informal dance last night at her home, 505 Springfield avenue, in honor of Miss Pauline Eppelman, who will shortly move to Easton. Miss Diesel's guests were Miss Ethel Hanson, Miss Edith Harris, Miss Della Phillips, Miss Anna Armstrong, Miss Rebecca Haag, Miss Irene Weber, Miss Katherine Smith, Miss Marian Rommel, Miss Florence Young, Miss Marian Steitz, Stratton Woodruff, Thomas Montgomery, Kendall Miller, Herbert Taggart, Howard Erskine, Harold Beckman, Courtney Worthington, William Kohler, William Webb, Herbert Harris, Harry Austin and George Bazeret.

MERION—Miss Imogen Goddard, of Lynn, Mass., who had expected to visit Mr. and Mrs. S. Earle Haines this month, will not be able to reach Merion until the early part of January, when quite a number of social affairs will be planned in her honor.

Mrs. William Dohan has been spending several days in Atlantic City.

ARMORE—At the dance which Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Alexander Pool, of Montgomery avenue, will give at the Merion Cricket Club the night of Friday, November 13, in honor of their daughter, Miss Lois Alexander Pool, Mrs. Pool and her daughter will be assisted in receiving by Mrs. William Somers, Mrs. J. Howard Brown and Mrs. Sydney Alexander Pool, of Palmyerton, Pa. A supper will follow the dance, and about 150 guests will be present, including many of this and next year's debutantes. Miss Pool will be presented to society next winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Register, who have been spending several weeks with Mr. Register's mother, Mrs. J. Layton Register, will leave for Boston about the middle of this month. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Register will make their home in Boston this winter.

HAVERTOWN—Mr. and Mrs. John J. Elcock are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Miss Isabel Therese Elcock. Mrs. Elcock will be remembered as Miss Isabel Mac-Arney, of New York.

Mrs. Gertrude Bricker entertained the members of her bridge club yesterday at her home.

RADNOR—Mrs. Horace Binney Hare has returned to her home after a visit in Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Chandler have closed their country place and opened their home in Philadelphia.

WAYNE—Mrs. H. O. Hildebrand has returned to her home on Windermere avenue after visiting Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Hildebrand in California. Invitations have been received for the wedding of Miss Dorothy Bush, of Windermere avenue, and Christopher Lofin Pierson, of Radnor, on November 23.

GERMANTOWN

A surprise dinner will be given tonight at the Germantown Cricket Club in honor of Mrs. John Earnshaw, Sr. The guests will consist of Mrs. Earnshaw's children, and will include Mr. and Mrs. Boulton Earnshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Warner G. Earnshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Clothier, Mr. and Mrs. John Earnshaw, of Montclair; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Earnshaw, of Orange; Miss Emily Earnshaw, Allen Earnshaw and Arthur Earnshaw. The occasion is Mrs. Earnshaw's 7th birthday. Yellow chrysanthemums and autumn leaves will form the decorations.

The Germantown Conservatory has issued invitations for the first faculty recital, to be given in the ballroom of the conservatory, 109 West Chelten avenue, Thursday evening, November 12. Among the artists are Miss Helen Dolevy, Miss Letitia Radcliffe, Paul Volkmann and Camille Plasschaert. Society men and women of Germantown are greatly interested, and are pledging their support to the affair.

Miss Mary Goodwin, of 530 Baynton street, will leave today for West Point, where she will spend the week-end.

Miss Margaret Law, of 131 West Phil-Ellena street, will have as her guest next week Miss Elizabeth Suter, of Brookline, Mass.

Miss Anna Stuart, of West Carpenter street, will leave next week for Montclair, N. J., where she will visit friends. She will bring home with her as her guest Miss Ella Molster, of Montclair, who will attend the wedding of Miss Margaret Cruse and Reese Lewis, which will take place next Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Harold Paine, whose marriage took place October 22, have gone to Quebec on their honeymoon. They will return by way of the Thousand Islands, reaching town by the middle of the month. Mrs. Paine will be remembered as Miss Mary MacElroy Humphreys.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ramsey Brady, of 1520 North 12th street, and Dr. and Mrs. William Ramsey Brady, 187 North 13th street, have issued invitations for a dance at Manheim Cricket Club on November 23.

The first of a series of informal neighborhood dances, which have been arranged to take place during the month, will be held tonight at 109 West Chelten avenue, in Germantown's new Art Conservatory.

ALONG THE READING

Mr. and Mrs. James Byers McFarland, Jr., of Lenox road, Jenkintown, are being congratulated on the birth of a son on Thursday, November 5.

Mrs. D. Webster Shelley, of Ambler, has issued invitations for a tea on Thursday, November 12, from 4 until 6 o'clock, to meet Miss Jean Conrad. Miss Conrad's engagement to Mrs. Shelley's son, Dr. Isaac Shelley, of Glenside, was recently announced.

A lecture and musicale was given last night at 515 in Marshall Hall, Oak Lane, for the benefit of the French and Belgian sufferers. Prof. Paul Giroud lectured on "Songs of the Miraka," and Mrs. Martha di Vincenzo was one of the soloists.



MRS. ROBERT LEAMING MONTGOMERY AND FAMILY

Mrs. Montgomery will entertain tonight at her home in Villanova in honor of her sister-in-law, Miss Margaret Montgomery.

Gerdin, Jr., Mrs. George W. Stewart, Mrs. A. L. Girhart, Mrs. Dayton Shelly, Mrs. Raymond White, Jr., Miss Natalie Rand, Miss Madeline Asbury.

The Oak Lane Review Club will give a series of dramatic plays during the winter. "The Pipers" will be the first and will be presented early in December.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Honsal, of Oak Lane, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Jessie Honsal, to Roland Robinson Dewles, of Germantown.

The bridge club, of which Miss Catherine Thomas is a member, will hold its second meeting Wednesday, November 13, at her home in Wyncote. The members include Miss Helen Millspaugh, Miss Margaret Millspaugh, Miss Marian Spencer, Miss Helen Mason, Miss Edna Wiler, Miss Eleanor Morse, Miss Louise Green, Miss Adelaide Spencer, Miss Anna Crowther, and Miss Marian Crowther. The first meeting of the season was held Wednesday at the home of Miss Anna Crowther.

WEST PHILADELPHIA

Mrs. H. B. Hickman, of 617 South 45th street, will give a bridge luncheon at her home, on Wednesday.

Mrs. J. R. Hicks, of the Lablanche apartments, 51st and Walnut streets, will give a dance at the Rittenhouse, Wednesday evening, November 13.

Mrs. S. S. Stryker, of 39th and Walnut streets, is visiting in Atlantic City for a few weeks.

Miss Ethel Leinau, of 4216 Spruce street, will return to her home today from New York, where she has been visiting Miss Mildred Whaley.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Ramey, who have been living in Memphis, Tenn., for the past two years, have taken a house at 481 Kingsessing avenue.

Mrs. F. J. Whiting, of 317 South 41st street, who has been spending the past month in the Berkshire Hills, has closed her house and taken apartments at the Bellevue-Stratford for the winter.

Mrs. Charles Sydney Bradford and the Misses Bradford, of 216 South 45th street, will be at home on Fridays during the winter, after 3 o'clock.

Miss Phelan, of 6415 Osage avenue, has returned from a trip to New York and Albany.

Miss Margaret Williamson gave a luncheon, followed by cards, today, at her home, 524 Kingsessing avenue. Chrysanthemums of the golden-bronze autumn hues were combined with autumn leaves in the decorations. Her guests were Miss Grace Wadburn, Miss Emily Wallace, Miss Beatie McCullin, Miss Florence Rhodes, Miss Margaret Janssen, Miss Agnes Janssen, Miss Lillian Ramsay, Miss Alma Steuber, Miss Elizabeth Baker, Miss Margaret Brennan, Miss Alice Reardon and Miss Alda Ryan.

SOUTH PHILADELPHIA

Lieutenant T. H. Winters, U. S. N., and Mrs. Winters entertained at auction bridge this week at their home in the Grand Estate, 209 South Garnet street. The affair was in honor of Miss Anna Lyon, of Bellefonte, and Mrs. Kettel, of Baltimore, who is the guest of Mrs. Winters' mother, Mrs. T. B. Baffett. Yellow and pink chrysanthemums and fall foliage were artistically combined to form the decorations. The guests were Lieutenant Commander G. B. Landenberger, U. S. N., and Mrs. Landenberger, Lieutenant Commander E. S. Keyes, U. S. N., and Mrs. Keyes, Naval Constructor A. B. Court, U. S. N., and Mrs. Court, Lieutenant C. A. Lutz, U. S. N., and Mrs. Lutz, Captain James Meade, U. S. M. C., and Mrs. Meade, Lieutenant Taylor, U. S. N.; Doctor Dunbar, U. S. N., and Ensign Miller, U. S. N.; officers of the United States Steamship Alabama, Ensign Oldendorf, U. S. N., of the United States Steamship Missouri; Lieutenant Starr, U. S. N.; Paymaster Ball, U. S. N.; Lieutenant A. T. Barney, U. S. N., and Mrs. Barney, Mr. and Mrs. McGee and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis.

Lieutenant Arthur T. Barney, U. S. N., and Mrs. Barney entertained on Thursday at auction bridge, followed by a luncheon, at their home, 323 South Cleveland avenue, in the Grand Estate. Among those invited were Mr. and Mrs. Oldhouse, Mr. and Mrs. John Hanna, Lieutenant Commander R. S. Keyes, U. S. N., and Mrs. Keyes, Lieutenant Commander G. A. Bissett, U. S. N., and Mrs. Bissett, Lieutenant W. F. Cochran, U. S. N., and Mrs. Cochran, Lieutenant Commander G. B. Landenberger, U. S. N., and Mrs. Landenberger, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis, Paymaster Manning H. Philbrick, U. S. N., and Mrs. Philbrick, Naval Constructor A. B. Court, U. S. N., and Mrs. Court, Lieutenant T. H. Winters, U. S. N., and Mrs. Winters, Lieutenant Charles T. Blackburn, U.



MISS MARY CHRISTIAN

S. N., and Mrs. Blackburn, Lieutenant Lee Pryor, U. S. N., and Mrs. Pryor, Mrs. R. L. Sheppard, Miss Anna V. Lyon and Miss May Hanna.

NORTH PHILADELPHIA

The first entertainment to be given by the North Philadelphia Inter-Church Lyceum will take place next Tuesday night, in the gymnasium of the North Branch Young Men's Christian Association, 193 West Lehigh avenue, when the Rev. Charles A. Eaton, of the Madison Avenue Baptist Church, New York, will give his famous lecture, "The Making of a Man."

Mrs. William Marshall, of 1055 Diamond street, was hostess at a bridge party at the St. James yesterday afternoon, for the members of the bridge club of the Ladies' Quaker City Motor Club. Under the leadership of Mrs. Marshall a series of these entertainments will be given on Tuesday and Friday afternoons during the winter.

Miss Eleanor Dally, of 2113 Columbia avenue, entertained informally yesterday afternoon, when her guests were Miss Marian Boretto, Miss Verona White, Miss Beatie Rosenberg, Miss Anne Smitheman, Mrs. John Oughten and Miss Marian Heintzsch.

TIOGA

Miss Kathryn Ennis gave a luncheon today at her home, 313 North 15th street. The decorations were in keeping with the month of garnered harvests, golden-tinted autumn leaves being attractively combined with golden-hued chrysanthemums. The favors were tiny toy turkeys. The guests were Miss Edna Gaw, Miss Elsie Krouse, Miss Florence Shaw, Miss Helen Brown, Miss Louise Ruckdeschel, Miss Martha Lupton, Miss Helen Huff, Miss Edna Muench, Miss Gertrude Lee, Miss Emily MacBurney, Miss Helen Millard, Miss Helen Longacre, Mrs. Anthony Callahan and Miss Edith Lanzetta.

The Tioga Thimble Club was entertained at luncheon Thursday by Mrs. George White, at her home in Fern Rock. Her guests were Mrs. Frederick Jennings, Mrs. Caroline Callahan, Mrs. Ralph Gibson, Mrs. John Haisir, Mrs. A. Burt Gamble, Mrs. Jacob Sallade, Miss Ruth Sallade and Mrs. William Grimm.

CAMDEN AND VICINITY

Mrs. John F. Starr, Jr., of 8th and Linden streets, has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Thomas West Cloggett, in Baltimore. The engagement has been announced of Miss Margaret Ross, of Parkburg, Pa., to A. R. Froid, of this city. The wedding will take place in February. Mr. Froid and his children reside at the Helen's apartments, 3d and Cooper streets.

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Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lippincott, upon their return from a wedding trip, will live at 408 West Park avenue, Collingswood.

WHAT MILADY WEARS

Feminine Inconsistencies are Many in Fashion's Domain

During these delightful mid-autumn days, which are a curious mixture of warm, almost summery breezes, and the brisker winds which herald the approach of cold weather, one observes strange contrasts in the mode of dressing of different individuals. Tripping down Chestnut street comes a well-known young woman, clad in a thin silk frock, with light pumps topped by filmy hose. She greets an acquaintance who is forestalling winter by wearing a suit of broadcloth edged with fur, and heavy galtered boots. Truly the inconsistencies of feminine fashions are many. The hotels and theatres are beginning to cater to their mid-season crowds, for, although many persons have not opened their town houses as yet, they are stationed in the near-by suburbs, and in these days of innumerable motors it is a small matter to run in from the country once, or even twice, each day.

In the matter of street suits, dark blue, that ever-serviceable shade, continues to hold its own, and, in fact, this year, with its military tendencies, will probably bring the shade more than ever into vogue. Speaking of the military style, Mrs. A. J. Drexel Biddle and her debutante daughter were seen on the street several days ago both clad in dark blue. Mrs. Biddle's suit was trimmed with braid of a dull brick-red, the braid running up over the shoulder in epaulette effect. The coat was made with a palated peplum, and this note was also carried out in the skirt, which was quite short and had a knee-length plaited overskirt. Mrs. Biddle's hat was of black velvet, set jauntily a little to the side. Mrs. Edward T. Stotesbury is also appearing in a most becoming calling costume of dark blue broadcloth, with which she wears a muff and stole of Russian sable. Mrs. Victor Mother's vivid coloring is well set off by a trottier of navy blue, the cape of which is lined with white satin. With this costume Mrs. Mother wears a large flat sailor hat of blue and white taffeta.

A smart and extremely becoming fall costume was worn the other day by Miss Margaret Dunlap while taking tea in the Bellevue. The suit was of a subdued brown velours de laine, made on severely tailored lines, and worn with a stole of taupe-colored fox. Miss Dunlap's hat was small and close fitting and made of black velvet, with a wide band of brilliant cerise flowers forming the brim. Miss Frances Sullivan is looking smart in a shopping suit of sage-green cloth. The short jacket is plain, except for a touch of darker green embroidery on the back panel, and the skirt is short and narrow, the necessary fulness for walking being given by a slash in front. With this Miss Sullivan wears a small velours hat of two shades of green, trimmed solely with an oddly shaped ornament at one side.

DEBUTANTE AFFAIRS

Miss Emma Ashton Dorr Will Be Presented by Her Uncle and Aunt, Dr. and Mrs. Ashton

The largest debutante affair to date will be the tea which Dr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Ashton will give at their beautiful country place on Lancaster Pike, Wynnewood, to introduce their niece, Miss Emma Ashton Dorr, to society. The whole lower floor of the spacious house is a mass of bloom. Great palms with their waxing branches and feathery cybidium and farleyanea ferns form a wonderful background of shaded green for the varicolored banks of exquisite bloom which represent the numbers upon numbers of exquisite flowers which have been sent to Miss Dorr.

Great purple orchids, American Beauties, Killarney roses, combine with stelia, forget-me-nots and those exquisite tiny sweetheart roses, to say nothing of the violets, blush roses, lilies of the valley and chrysanthemums.

Miss Dorr is the daughter of the late Dalton Dorr and his wife, who was Miss Emma Ashton, a sister of Doctor Ashton.

Mrs. Ashton will wear a handsome gown of sapphire blue chiffon velvet cloth, with bodice fashioned of silver metal, with oval cape effect of blue chiffon velvet, edged with rhinestones. Miss Dorr has selected a charmingly girlish frock of white embroidered tulle, trimmed with the palest of blue ribbon trimmings. Mrs. Ashton will be assisted in receiving by Mrs. John M. Scott, Mrs. Powell Evans, Mrs. Lead, of New York; Mrs. Henry Tucker, Mrs. Newcomb Thompson, Mrs. William Ashton, Mrs. Russell Duane and Mrs. William Percy Simpson. A number of this season's buds will assist Miss Ashton, and among them will be Miss Hope McMichael, Miss Mary S. Wurts, Miss Margaret H. Burton, Miss Elizabeth Thompson, Miss Frances Tyson, Miss Charlotte H. Brown, and Miss Edith E. Ellison.

Following the tea there will be a dinner-dance for the receiving party and about 50 additional guests, including this and last year's debutantes. Among some of the older people present will be Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Cox, Dr. and Mrs. Alfred Stengel, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yarnall, Mr. and Mrs. William Innes Forbes, Mr. and Mrs. George Q. Horwitz and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Winter Baily.

CHARITY AFFAIRS

British National Relief Fund and Fund for Belgium Refugees to Have Concert.

The Philadelphia Boys and Girls' Orchestra, of 65 pieces, under the direction of John Curtis, Jr., will give an elaborate concert in Witherspoon Hall on the evening of November 25 for the benefit of the British National Relief fund and fund for the Relief of Belgian Refugees in England, and among those who have agreed to act as patronesses for the event are: Mrs. A. C. Abbott, Mrs. A. S. Anderson, Mrs. R. Loper Baird, Mrs. C. C. Binney, Mrs. Edward W. Bok, Mrs. T. F. Branson, Mrs. W. Altes Burpee, Mrs. John Caldwell, Mrs. J. Gardner Casseatt, Mrs. Samuel Chew, Miss Mary Coates, Mrs. Travis Cochran, Mrs. Charles A. Converse, Mrs. Cyrus H. K. Curtis, Mrs. John C. Dawson, Mrs. E. E. Eshay, Mrs. L. Webster Fox, Mrs. Theodore A. Fox, Mrs. William W. Frazier, Mrs. William A. Glasgow, Mrs. B. C. Hanington, Mrs. H. B. Hare, Mrs. C. C. Harrison, Mrs. Charles W. Henry, Mrs. Oliver Hopkinson, Jr., the Misses Kirk, Mrs. G. B. Kirkbride, Mrs. J. Norman Jackson, Mrs. Alba B. Johnson, Mrs. C. F. Judson, Mrs. A. E. Lea, Mrs. George B. McClellan, Mrs. Thomas McCrea, Mrs. E. H. Sitor, Mrs. J. Owen Spiers, Mrs. A. B. Stoughton, Mrs. Morris W. Stroud, Mrs. J. Madison Taylor, Mrs. C. Herman Thomas, Mrs. George C. Thomas, Mrs. Richard Tighman, Mrs. Alexander Van Rensselaer, Mrs. Samuel Vauclain, Mrs. J. L. Vauclain, Mrs. L. H. Van Dusen, Mrs. Charles Wheeler, Mrs. George P. White, Mrs. Frances Howard Williams, Mrs. Charles Willing, Mrs. E. Waring Wilson and Mrs. J. E. Woodbridge. In addition will be Hon. Wilfred Powell, H. B. M. Connel General, and Mrs. Powell; Hon. Paul Hagenson, Belgian Consul General, and Mrs. Hagenson; Bishop Rinaldi, Bishop Oakland and the Rev. Dr. N. H. Jeffrey.

HYMEN CLAIMS MANY DEVOTEES

Miss Margaretta Whitney Became Bride of Raymond B. B. Wright at Noon Today—Other Brides.

The marriage of Miss Margaretta V. Whitney, daughter of Mrs. W. Beaumont Whitney, of Hillcrest, Germantown, to Raymond D. B. Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert K. Wright, was solemnized today at noon in St. Michael's Episcopal Church, Germantown. The church was massed with yellow chrysanthemums and autumn leaves in conformity with the season and these blended beautifully with the gowns of the bridal attendants. Miss Whitney wore her mother's wedding gown of soft cream-colored satin, adorned with old family lace, and her veil was of lace, trimmed with orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley. The little flower girl, Miss Mary Louise Whitney, made a quaint picture in a Kate Greenaway frock, carrying an old-fashioned basket of posies. The bride was attended by Miss Mary W. Bangs, of New York, as maid of honor, and her bridesmaids were Miss Caroline T. Murdoch, Miss Marian F. Butler, Miss Caroline C. English, Miss Helen S. Henderson, Miss Elizabeth W. Smucker, Miss Frances G. Wendell, of New York; Mrs. William Wurts Harmer and Mrs. Joseph J. Brown.

Mr. Wright had W. Chapin Huntington, of New York, as his best man, and the ushers were Charles W. Wharton, Edward W. Clark, 2d, Joseph M. Shoemaker, Richard A. Douglas, William Wurts Harmer, Joseph J. Brown, Dr. George W. Outerbridge and Francis N. Bangs, of New York.

WOOD-WILMER

A quiet wedding will take place today at 4 o'clock in St. Luke's Church, Germantown, when Miss Phebe Ingersoll Wilmer, daughter of Mrs. Harry Bond Wilmer, of Centerville, Md., will become the bride of Howard Wood, Jr. The bride will be given in marriage by her brother, Dr. Harry B. Wilmer, and the officiating clergyman will be the Rev. Francis Little, of Rhinebeck, N. Y., cousin of the bride, assisted by the Rev. Samuel Upjohn. The bride will wear a cream-colored tulle silk gown, trimmed with cream-colored silk net. The skirt is made on plain lines and ends in a pointed train. The bridal veil is of tulle, fastened with orange blossoms. Lilies of the valley and white Killarney roses form the bouquet. The maid of honor, Miss Gertrude Outerbridge, will be gowned in white chamoise, made with a V-neck and trimmed with chiffon. A touch of color is given by an Albee blue velvet grille and a black velvet hat, trimmed with a single pink rose. She will carry a shower bouquet of "My Maryland" roses. Mr. Wood will have as best man Clement B. Wood and the ushers will be Eldridge Morgan, Edward A. Waters, Van Bibber Wilmer, Percival Dove, of Andover, Mass.; Clifford Payson, of Boston, and Allan Wood, 3d. Owing to a recent death in the bride's family there will be no reception. After an extended trip Mr. and Mrs. Wood will live at the Wood summer home near Conshohocken until their new home in Lower Merion is completed.

VOORHEES-DENNISON

A wedding of interest to persons of this city took place today at noon at the Mount Pleasant Church, Dickerson, Md., when Miss Eliza Dennison, daughter of Mrs. Charles Dennison, became the bride of Dayton Voorhees, of this city.

Miss Dennison, who was unattended, wore a gown of ivory satin, trimmed with rare lace, a tulle veil and orange blossoms. She carried lilies of the valley.

Mr. Voorhees was attended by Henry Swan as best man and his ushers were Edward M. Biddle, Maskell Ewing, Grey Dayton, Malcolm S. Huey, Amos Brooks, of Plainfield, N. J., and H. O. Milliken, of New York.

The ceremony was followed by a reception at the home of the bride's mother, Westwood, near Dickerson, after which Mr. and Mrs. Voorhees left on a wedding trip. They will be at home after February 1 at 509 Locust street.

IRWIN-SMUCKER

The marriage of Miss Mary Smucker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Reed Smucker, to Pierson Clement Irwin was solemnized at noon in St. Mary's Church, Locust street above 33rd street.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was attended by her sister, Miss Catherine Thomas Smucker, and Miss Marian Clement Irwin, a sister of the bridegroom, as bridesmaids. Mr. Irwin's brother, Robert F. Irwin, Jr., acted as best man and the ushers were John Reed Smucker, Jr., Samuel Clement Irwin, Ralph F. Melville, Rudolph Ellison Thompson, Spencer Sergeant Large and A. Mason Cooke.

Following the ceremony a breakfast was served for the bridal party at the home of the bride's parents, 225 South 41st street. Mr. and Mrs. Irwin after a wedding trip will live in Chicago.

COHEN-GOODMAN

Miss Leah Goodman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Goodman, of 397 North 17th street, and David Cohen, of 2118 North Broad street, will be married tomorrow night in the Metropolitan Drawing Room, 807 North Broad street, which will be decorated with a profusion of chrysanthemums, palms and ferns. The bride's father will give her in marriage and the ceremony will be performed by the Rev. Martin Nathan, of the Beth Israel Congregation, 324 street and Montgomery avenue. A beautiful gown of white chamoise and panna velvet, trimmed with tulle and made with a court train, will be worn by the bride. Her tulle veil, which is edged with lace and attached to a cap, will be held in place with a garland of lilies of the valley. She will carry an ivory-bound prayerbook with a number of lilies of the valley. Mrs. Samuel Gorson, the bridegroom's sister, who will be matron of honor, will be gowned in white chiffon, brocaded with velour, with the bodice of net, embroidered with palestec beads. She will carry a shower of pink roses tied with ribbon of the same color.

The bridesmaids will be Miss Kathryn Goodman, the bride's sister; Miss Yvette Cohen, sister of the bridegroom; Miss Norma Katz and Miss Dorothy Rappaport. Their frocks are fashioned of white chamoise and panna-velvet, and they will carry palestec bouquets of pink roses with pink chiffon streamers. Samuel Gorson will be the best man, and the ushers will be Abraham Nevers, Dr. Lewis Sellman, Lewis Schiller and Samuel Solomon. The service will be followed by a dinner and reception. Decisions and terms will be used in the dinner decorations. Upon their return from a wedding journey the bridegroom and bride will be at home after December 15 at 154 North Franklin street.

His Method

"You say he's a dead beat? Why, that fellow's always boasting that he pays his debts."

His dose—on a court order.